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Top 25 Most Frequently Reported Feeder Birds, winter 2008-2009

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Review the [Explanation of Terms](#) to understand what these data represent. A total of 64 FeederWatchers reported data from this state.

Rank within region	Common Name	Scientific name	Percentage of feeders visited	Mean group size (when seen)	FeederWatch Abundance Index
1	Dark-eyed Junco	Junco hyemalis	98.44	7.12	5.93
2	Northern Cardinal	Cardinalis cardinalis	95.31	3.75	2.64
3	American Goldfinch	Carduelis tristis	93.75	6.18	3.25
4	Downy Woodpecker	Picoides pubescens	93.75	1.89	1.43
5	House Sparrow	Passer domesticus	92.19	9.76	5.13
6	Blue Jay	Cyanocitta cristata	90.63	2.55	1.38
7	House Finch	Carpodacus	89.06	4.22	2.08

7	HOUSE FINCH	mexicanus	89.06	4.33	2.06
8	Mourning Dove	Zenaida macroura	89.06	2.93	1.14
9	White-breasted Nuthatch	Sitta carolinensis	87.50	1.56	0.93
10	Red-bellied Woodpecker	Melanerpes carolinus	87.50	1.27	0.68
11	Black-capped Chickadee	Poecile atricapillus	85.94	2.31	1.43
12	American Robin	Turdus migratorius	76.56	3.02	0.39
13	European Starling	Sturnus vulgaris	75.00	4.04	0.81
14	Hairy Woodpecker	Picoides villosus	64.06	1.32	0.46
15	Purple Finch	Carpodacus purpureus	53.13	3.32	0.41
16	Common Grackle	Quiscalus quiscula	50.00	4.42	0.22
17	American Tree Sparrow	Spizella arborea	50.00	3.38	0.35
18	Pine Siskin	Carduelis pinus	43.75	3.33	0.31
19	Northern Flicker	Colaptes auratus	42.19	1.21	0.09
20	Tufted Titmouse	Baeolophus bicolor	39.06	1.62	0.28
21	Red-winged Blackbird	Agelaius phoeniceus	34.38	2.04	0.09
22	American Crow	Corvus brachyrhynchos	31.25	2.98	0.19
23	Cooper's Hawk	Accipiter cooperii	29.69	1.00	0.04

24	Cedar Waxwing	Bombycilla cedrorum	28.13	6.23	0.09
25	Sharp-shinned Hawk	Accipiter striatus	28.13	1.00	0.05

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